

17 July 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR: The Secretary of State


FROM : Vice Chairman, National Intelligence Council

SUBJECT : Communists in the French Government

1. Prior to your discussion of this subject with Secretary Weinberger and the DCI on 16 July, we located some revealing background in overt French press materials germane to the problem. Although we were unable to pull the information together until after your meeting, we did place our findings before the DCI late on the afternoon of 16 July.

2. The DCI indicated, just prior to his departure, that he thought you might like to have the benefit of our brief paper on this topic before your departure for the Ottawa Summit, since the subject might arise there.

3. Consequently, I am forwarding herewith a copy of our paper as an attachment for your background information.


Richard Lehman

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